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Applicant: Harold Beck Docket No.: 03-11
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For: **VINYL ESTER HOSE AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURE OF SUCH HOSE**

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SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT

This substitute amendment is submitted in response to the Advisory Action mailed June 20, 2006.

Amendments to the Specification - No amendments are made to the specification.

Amendments to the Claims - Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks - remarks begin on page 4.